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TITLE OF INVENTION: MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES AGAINST HUMAN APOPTOSIS INHIBITORY PROTEIN NAIP AND METHOD FOR ASSAYING NAIP

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